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Re:

U.S. Patent Application Entitled: BISPECIFIC ANTIBODIES – PeterKufer,

Meery Berry, Patrick Baeuerle and Christian Itin
Our Ref. No. DEBE:028US / Matter No. 08001973

Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a 33-page patent specification including 57 claims; an abstract and a two page sequence listing. Also included is Figure 1 on 1 sheet. The specification and drawings constitute the application of Peter Kufer, Meery Berry, Patrick Baeuerle and Christian Itin for the captioned invention.

Also transmitted herewith is a diskette containing the computer-readable form of those sequences in the specification, a Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), and a separate paper copy of the sequence listing.

Applicants are entitled to Small Entity Status Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Please note that this application is filed without an inventors' Declaration and Assignment, a Power of Attorney, and filing fees. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and (f), the Applicants request the Patent and Trademark Office to accept this application and accord a serial number and filing date as of the date this application is deposited with the U.S. Postal Service for Express Mail. Further, the Applicants request that the NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS-FILING DATE GRANTED pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) be sent to the undersigned Applicant's representative.

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